

NEW MILITIA LAW.

Judge Advocate General Gives Opinions on Various Disputed Matters of Construction.

THE EXPENDITURES OF MONEYS.

Section Fourteen Does Not Take the Militia From the Control of the States.

During the Maneuvers in the Field the State Troops Remain Under the Control of Their Several Commanders-in-Chief.

Washington, June 6.—Judge Advocate General Davis has sent to the secretary of war an opinion relative to various disputed matters of construction of the new militia law. One point raised was whether section 14 of the militia act relating to expenditure of money for the militia was not in conflict with the federal constitution, the contention being that it would take the militia from the control of the states. Gen. Davis points out that the new militia law does not differ materially from the present law and that all that will be necessary is a change in the forms for accounting to be made to the treasury department.

A more important point raised concerns section 15, which provides for the participation of the militia of the several states in maneuvers and field instructions of the regular army, but with a further proviso that the command of a military post or camp and of the officers and troops of the United States stationed where such maneuvers occur shall remain with the regular commander of the post without regard to the rank of the commanding or other officers of the militia temporarily encamped there. Gen. Davis holds that such portions of the national guard as participate in the maneuvers of operations do so for the purpose of improving their discipline and efficiency and that in such participation they act under the orders of their respective governors. While so engaged the several organizations of the national guard he says remain under the control of their several commanders-in-chief and not having been "called forth" in the manner prescribed in the constitution do not pass under the command and control of the president as commander-in-chief of the land and naval forces of the United States.

He holds that the enlisted men of the national guard are not entitled to increased pay in virtue of previous service in the militia but says that officers who have served five years in the militia are entitled under the law to the same ten per cent. increase in pay that is provided for officers of the army.

The judge advocate general says that in applying section 18 the drills and encampments which took place in any state or territory during the year ended December 31, 1902, should be considered in determining the right of the state or territory to participate in the benefits conferred by previous and present laws.

SITUATION IN CHINA GRAVE.

The American Asiatic Squadron Assembling in Chinese Waters.

Washington, June 6.—Coming close on the heels of a long report from Rr. Adm. Robley D. Evans, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic squadron, concerning the grave internal situation in China, the assembling of his squadron in Chinese waters is regarded here as significant. The battleships Kentucky and Oregon and the protected cruiser New Orleans have arrived at Chefoo, the monitor Monterey and the collier Pompey at Shanghai. The gunboat Villobolos has sailed from Kow-kang for Nan Chang.

THREE BIG BATTLESHIPS.

Acceptance of Bids Opened Wednesday Recommended.

Washington, June 6.—The board of construction of the navy department has recommended to the secretary of the navy the acceptance of the bids of the Newport News Shipbuilding Co., the New York Shipbuilding Co. and the Fore River Ship and Engine Co. for the construction of the three 16,000 ton battleships for which bids were opened on Wednesday. No action has been taken on the recommendation.

Springfield, Ky., June 6.—Smallpox which broke out among the colored population here, caused some alarm at first, but the authorities have it under control and no spread of the disease is feared.

Wilmore, Ky., June 6.—Tom Oldham, who sold a stolen horse to John Stapp, of Lock No. 8, Friday confessed. He said he also took a horse from Winchester to Richmond and sold it.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. E. Mitchell was a visitor in the city Friday.

—Mrs. Nora Manion was a visitor in the city yesterday.

—Miss Duke Knight left Friday to visit friends at Johnson Station.

—Mr. John Y. Dean, of Lexington, was in Maysville Friday on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Cliff leave to-day for their new home at Millwood.

—Miss Minnie Wells, of Bernard, has returned from a visit to her brother at Louisville.

—Miss Lottie Smith entertained Thursday evening in honor of Miss Helen Murray, of Manchester.

—Mrs. Frank A. Mannen, of Minneapolis, Minn., is the guest of Miss Hattie L. Wood in the county.

—Mrs. John Brodt and two daughters, of Bernard, have been spending the week with friends in Cincinnati.

—Misses Mattie Grover and Bertha Little, of Sardis, were guests this week of Mr. James Cray and family, of Millersburg.

—Miss Willa Burgoyne of Washington went to Paris Friday to attend the meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

—Mrs. Dr. George Phillips, formerly Miss Hattie Cutter, is expected on a visit from St. Louis to friends in the city and county shortly.

—Mrs. Robert Ficklin is at Paris attending the annual meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Kentucky Conference.

—Mrs. John W. Boulden is visiting at Millersburg and attending the conference of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, at Paris.

—West Union Defender: "Mr. J. J. Storer and Miss Lou Grover, of Maysville, Ky., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellis, of Sprigg township, over Sunday."

—Mt. Olivet Advance: "John Hesson and wife are entertaining quite a number of relatives this week. They are John E. Howley and wife, of New York, Mrs. Ellen Welch and children, of Cincinnati, and Miss Tillie Hesson, of Maysville. Mr. Howley and wife are theatrical people and are greatly enjoying their stay in the country."

The following changes in the salaries of Kentucky postmasters are announced: Barbooreville, from \$1,100 to \$1,400; Danville, from \$2,200 to \$2,300; Earlington, from \$1,300 to \$1,400; Elizabethtown, from \$1,500 to \$1,600; Frankfort, from \$2,600 to \$2,700; Georgetown, from \$1,900 to \$2,000; Glasgow, from \$1,600 to \$1,700; Greenville, from \$1,200 to \$1,300; Guthrie, from \$1,000 to \$1,100; Harrodsburg, from \$1,700 to \$1,800; Henderson, from \$2,500 to \$2,600; Hickman, from \$1,300 to \$1,500; Hopkinsville, from \$2,300 to \$2,400; Jackson, from \$1,000 to \$1,100; Leitchfield, from \$1,200 to \$1,300; London, from \$1,400 to \$1,500; Louisa, from \$1,000 to \$1,200; Madisonville, from \$1,700 to \$1,800; Mayfield, from \$1,900 to \$2,000; Middlesboro, from \$1,700 to \$1,800; Midway, from \$1,300 to \$1,400; Mt. Sterling, from \$2,000 to \$2,100; Murray, from \$1,300 to \$1,400; Newport, from \$3,100 to \$3,200.

FRIDAY'S GAMES.

National League.

Chicago... 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0—2 8 3
New York 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 3—5 7 0
Taylor and Kling; McGinnity and Bowerman. Umpire—O'Day.
Pittsburg. 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 5 *—9 17 3
Boston... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 7 5
Doheny and Phelps; Pittinger and Moran. Umpire—Johnston.

American League.

New York 3 0 1 1 2 0 0 0 1—8 10 3
Cleveland. 3 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 2—7 12 3
Tannehill, Griffith and O'Connor; Dornier, Wright and Bemis. Umpire—O'Laughlin.

Boston... 0 3 0 0 5 2 0 0 *—10 10 2
Chicago. 0 1 0 2 4 0 0 1—8 13 3
Gibson, Young and Criger; Patterson, White and McFarland. Umpire—Connolly.

Philadelphia 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 *—4 6 0
Detroit... 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 0—3 10 4
Waddell and Schreck; Donovan and McGuire. Umpires—Carruthers and Hassett.

Wash'ton. 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 7 1
St. Louis. 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0—3 9 0
Townsend and Clarke; Powell and Sugden. Umpire—Sheridan.

Club Standing.

Clubs.	Won.	Loss.	P. C.
Boston	24	15	.618
St. Louis	21	14	.600
Philadelphia	23	17	.575
Chicago	20	17	.541
Cleveland	19	17	.514
Detroit	18	20	.474
New York	16	22	.421
Washington	10	28	.262

A Floater Found.

Wilmore, Ky., June 6.—The body of a man found floating at High Bridge Friday proved to be that of James Wallace, of Frankfort. Tuesday he fell off a boat at Camp Nelson. Five of his comrades Friday night claimed the body.

MISSISSIPPI FLOOD

Torrent of Muddy Water Spreading Out Over the Lowlands at St. Louis.

SNY LEVEE AT HANNIBAL BROKE

The Rushing Waters Through the Crevasse Is Devastating Thousands of Acres of Land.

The Raging Flood Forced a Passage Through the 15 Mile Levee at Madison, Ill., Just North of St. Louis.

St. Louis, June 6.—The terrific force and the destructive magnitude of the great flood that is sweeping down the Mississippi river is steadily increasing in volume, surmounting and demolishing barriers of protection and greedily lapping at property and reaching for lives as it resistlessly extends farther and farther beyond the ordinary river confines, is now being felt in St. Louis and vicinity to an alarming extent. A torrent of muddy water is swirling past St. Louis and spreading out over the lowlands with devastating energy.

At 7 o'clock Friday night the stage had reached 34.2 feet, a rise of .7 foot since 7 o'clock Friday morning. The Mississippi north of the mouth of the Missouri is rising still, but the rapidity of the rise has been diminished because of the breaks in levees. The great Sny levee which extends for miles along the Illinois shore from Hannibal northward broke Friday and the angry waters went rushing through the crevasse to devastate thousands of acres of fertile farming lands. Possibly some lives may be lost but no reports of loss of life had been received up to 8 o'clock Friday night.

Later in the day the flood forced a passage through the levee at Madison, Ill., just north of St. Louis. This levee is 15 miles long and for days men have been hard at work endeavoring to strengthen it, but the river found its weak point in a sewer way and the water broke through like a geyser. Carloads of bags of sand and all other available material were hurried to the break and dumped in, but the force of the flood washed out the filling and the break constantly widened. West Granite, a town of 2,000 people, is under water.

In St. Louis the buildings along the river front have practically been abandoned as the first floors are over a foot under water, which stood Friday night two feet deep on the top of the steamboat levee. Venice, Ill., has been under water for two days.

In South St. Louis fully 100 families living near the mouth of the river Des Peres were forced to leave their houses Friday by the advancing water, and many families living in houseboats fled to land for shelter. Men, and in some cases even women, worked to their waists in the swirling waters, with ropes and wire cables anchoring their homes to the railroad tracks and to trees on high ground. Wagons were backed into the river up to their beds and furniture loaded in.

A Burlington switch engine having on board a switching crew of four men, toppled from the undermined track into five feet of water north of the Merchant's bridge Friday. The men felt the engine sinking and, leaping into the water, swam ashore.

AN ANGRY MOB.

Samuel Montgomery Narrowly Escaped Lynching at Tomah, Wis.

Lacrosse, Wis., June 6.—Samuel Montgomery, who is charged with the murder of his wife, at Tomah, Wis., Friday was saved from the anger of a mob by transposal on a freight train to Sparta. Montgomery and his wife were riding in a buggy Thursday night. Late in the night he drove to Tomah and said his wife had been killed in a runaway. A coroner's jury found that the woman's neck had been broken by the husband.

PAID THE PENALTY.

Wilford Davis Hanged For the Murder of Page Martstiller.

Moundsville, W. Va., June 6.—Wilford Davis, a young white man, was hanged in the state penitentiary at 5:30 Friday evening for the murder on April 19, 1902, of Page Martstiller, the chief of police of Elkins, while he was trying to arrest Davis. Davis was composed and collected and smiled as the black cap was being adjusted. His spinal cord was broken and the heart stopped beating in 14 minutes.

Hong-Kong, June 6.—The estimate of Gov. Wong, of Kwang Si province, that over 1,000,000 natives are starving in that province is pronounced to be approximately correct.

DESTRUCTIVE STORM.

Country Southeast of Maysville Visited by Cloudburst Friday—C. and O. Track at Kennedy's Creek Washed Out—Other Damage.

Between 3 and 4 o'clock Friday afternoon this section was visited by a destructive rain storm, accompanied by a vivid electrical display, the center of the cloudburst being in the country just southeast of the city. Kennedy's Creek, Bull Creek and the other small streams draining the territory became raging torrents, sweeping away the bridges on the Mt. Carmel and Tollesboro turnpikes and the roads were also badly washed. The C. and O. culvert at Kennedy's Creek with about sixty feet of the track was also washed out. The creek bottom just east of Carmel street and south of the C. and O. resembled a young river for a time, the culvert not being large enough to carry off the downpour. The cottages on Dieterick's Lane, south of the C. and O., occupied by Mrs. Hildebrandt, Henry Glenn, Wash Fletcher, (colored), Andrew Thomas and Wm. Hughes were flooded and greatly damaged, most of the plastering having fallen off. The wife of Fletcher had to wade through water up to her arm pits to save herself and two children.

The storm was also very heavy on Stone Lick, and all the bridges and fencing along that stream were swept out.

Later reports are that three bridges on the Carmel pike and one on the Tollesboro pike were carried away. Persons living along Kennedy's Creek lost some wagons and other vehicles.

The growing crops were greatly damaged by the downpour.

The washout at Kennedy's Creek delayed all C. and O. traffic. The east and westbound accommodation trains transferred there last evening, and No. 4 last night had to go East by way of Paris and Mt. Sterling. The work of fitting up a temporary track was completed during the night, and trains are again running on time.

The local weather observer reports a rainfall of .94 of an inch in the Fifth ward from 2:30 to 5 p. m. Friday, but this city got only the edge of the storm.

The little stream running through the infirmary farm was ten feet deep, and the crops not washed away were left covered with mud.

The rain was very heavy back of Aberdeen also, and Fishgut Creek ran out fifteen to twenty feet deep.

Funeral of the Late James Lyston.

The remains of the late James Lyston were brought here Friday afternoon from Cincinnati, and the funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Patrick's Church, the interment following at Washington. Mr. Lyston was apparently in the enjoyment of good health Thursday evening on returning from work, and ate a hearty supper. Shortly afterwards he was taken suddenly ill, having been stricken with apoplexy. He lingered until about 2 o'clock Friday morning when the blood clot on the brain caused his death. His wife and little daughter and his brother-in-law, Supt. Slattery of the County Infirmary, had gone down Thursday, and were with him when the end came. Mr. Lyston was a member of the local Red Men, and the lodge will attend his funeral.

Circuit Court Proceedings.

Kate Breen was granted a divorce from James Edward Breen and restored to her maiden name Archdeacon.

The grand jury returned an indictment Friday against Wm. Hickle for burglary.

Samuel Marvin was found guilty of breaking into an outbuilding and stealing some harness and was given two years in the penitentiary.

Wm. D. Cochran was elected Special Judge to try the case of George Schroeder against James W. Fitzgerald, Judge Harbeson having declined to hear the case because of his relationship to defendant.

Some Things the Law Requires.

Although the law has never been carried out, yet the statutes require that the receipts and disbursements of all public monies be published in a newspaper in the county where such taxes are collected. It requires that all settlements with the Sheriff be published, as well as a detailed list of names to whom and for what it is so paid. This has been done in only a few of the counties in the State. Another matter: All elections for directors of all corporations should be advertised in the newspaper, and, as this is seldom done, any one could kick up a legal racket with most all of the corporations doing business in the State.

Sealed bids for the various privileges at the Maysville Elk's Fair will be opened Monday, June 8th. Send bids to H. L. Hamilton, Secretary.

MACHEN INDICTED.

The Former Superintendent of the Free Delivery Service Must Stand Trial.

HE IMMEDIATELY GAVE A BOND.

The Charge is Sharing the Profits on Government Contracts For Letter Box Fasteners.

Two Postal Clerks Arrested Charged With Conspiracy to Defraud the Government in Purchase of Leather Pouches.

Washington, June 6.—The grand jury Friday reported an indictment against August W. Machen, former superintendent of the free delivery service of the post office department, who was arrested several days ago charged with sharing profits on government contracts for letter box fasteners. The indictment was brought for violation of section 5501 of the Revised Statutes, the penalty for violation of which is a "fine not more than three times the amount asked or accepted or received and by imprisonment not more than three years."

The amount which the indictment states he received illegally is \$13,987.79. Mr. Machen was in court with his attorneys when the grand jury reported and immediately gave bond in the sum of \$20,000 for his appearance in court. His sureties were O. G. Staples, David Moore, F. M. Criswell and Emanuel Speich, of this city. The trial will occur in October.

By securing an indictment of Machen before Saturday, the day set for his preliminary hearing before Commissioner Taylor, the government has scored a victory in that it has avoided the necessity of showing its hand at a preliminary hearing.

In discussing the case with his friends Mr. Machen says that certain checks which it is maintained were sent to him in payment of his profits in the Groff fastener and which have been secured by the post office inspectors, were sent him by his business partner, George E. Lorenz, of Toledo, O., and formerly postmaster of that city.

Mr. Machen claims that his partnership with Lorenz was a strictly legitimate one and that the checks transmitted to him by Lorenz were in connection with mining business which the firm conducted. Mr. Machen further states to his friends that he was not a partner of the Groff Bros. concern and that he did not receive any of the profits from the sale of the letter box fastener to the government.

It is expected by the post office department that the grand jury will report on the cases of the Groff Bros., of this city, the contractors for the letter box fasteners, early next week.

Two More Arrests Made.

As a result of the sweeping investigation of affairs at the post office department Thomas W. McGregor, clerk in charge of the supplies for the rural free delivery service, and C. Elsworth Upton, of Baltimore, one of McGregor's assistants, were arrested Friday. They are charged with a conspiracy with Charles E. Smith and others to defraud the United States government in the purchase of pouches from C. E. Smith of Baltimore.

The complaint sets forth that McGregor and Upton agreed with Smith to obtain for him orders for many thousands of leather pouches such as are used by rural letter carriers. The price agreed upon was 90 cents per pouch; the actual value was less than 50 cents. Smith was to pay to them the difference between 90 and 50 cents per pouch.

It is stated at the department that the actual number of pouches which were purchased exceeded 20,000, for which the government paid 90 cents each or \$18,000 in all. Smith received and retained of this for his own use \$10,000. The remaining \$8,000 was paid to McGregor and Upton. The government could have bought the entire number of pouches from the manufacturers for \$8,000. McGregor was the clerk in charge of rural free delivery supplies, and Upton was one of his assistants.

Thos. W. McGregor has been in the postal service since 1891. He came here from Nebraska as a messenger and subsequently was promoted to a clerkship and finally was appointed by Mr. Machen in charge of the supply work of the rural free delivery service. Mr. Upton is a Baltimorean and has been in the postal service for 13 years.

Corn Crop in Southwestern Iowa.

Council Bluffs, Ia., June 6.—A newspaper man, who has been over Southwestern Iowa during the last ten days, reports that fully one-third of the corn crop has not been planted and that easily half of what has been planted will have to be replanted if there is a crop.

EVENING BULLETIN.

DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.
 ROSSER & MCCARTHY,
 Proprietors

SATURDAY, JUNE 6 1903

THE WEATHER RECORD.

[For the 24 hours ending at 6:30 a. m.]
 State of weather.....Cloudy
 Highest temperature.....83
 Lowest temperature.....60
 Mean temperature.....71.5
 Wind direction.....Southerly
 Precipitation (inches)......17
 Previously reported for June......45
 Total for June to date.....1.62

The Falmouth Pendletonian has the audacity to offer this suggestion:

The State ticket has been nominated without a platform. Has Mr. Young any objection to a convention's being called for the purpose of adopting one? It is true that a convention might have something to say about the reorganization of the present Democratic State Committee and might even go so far as to adopt resolutions declaring its belief that the men who compose the Democratic party in Louisville, and not John H. Whallen, should be permitted to govern its policy.

It now appears that all the trouble in the Postoffice Department—the favoritism, the wastefulness, the irregularities, the deficits, the jobs, the scandals, and the rest of it—are the fault of one Thos. W. Gilmer, an \$1,800 clerk in the Treasury Department. Mr. Gilmer was an expert accountant in the office of Mr. Tracewell, the Comptroller of the Treasury, and in that capacity he had to examine accounts as to which his superior officer might be in doubt, or concerning which further and more accurate information seemed necessary. Among these accounts requiring expert scrutiny and competent analysis a great many came from the Postoffice Department, and it now transpires that Mr. Gilmer's habit of asking for explanations gave great offense to certain high officials in that branch of the public service. Whenever he found charges, entries, &c., which he could not understand—and he seemed to have found a great many—he went to the eminent personage supposed to know all about it, and boldly ask for light. At last, Mr. Gilmer's activities became so offensive to certain postal officers, who had more important cares than the accuracy of their accounts or the propriety of their expenditures, that they complained of him to the Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Vanderlip. Gilmer was meddlesome and intrusive. His requests for information which the eminent personages in question could not impart amounted to an insult. Off with his head! And it went off.

This occurred in 1899, nearly four years ago. Gilmer was put where he could no longer offend the great men of that day, and Machen, Beavers and the rest of them had full swing at the treasury surplus.

The Children's Day service at the Christian Church will be held to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. An attractive program of songs,—solos, anthems and choruses—will be rendered by the school and choir, and the minister Rev. R. E. Moss will deliver a short address. The offering will go to help support Miss Asbury, of Augusta, now a missionary in Japan. The church will be handsomely decorated. The services are always attended by an audience that taxes the seating capacity of the church, and the usual large crowd is anticipated. The public cordially invited to this service and also to the morning service at 10:45 when there will be preaching by the minister.

Joe E. Cross is to succeed Dyas S. Clinger as editor of the Adams County Record.

An event is pending without parallel in Maysville's mercantile history. Don't miss one day's announcement in this space.

D. HUNT & SON

SUNDAY SCHOOL PIC-NICS.

Circular From the President of the County Union Suggesting Plans for July 4th.

To the officers of the Mason County Branch of the Kentucky Sunday School Association: You will no doubt remember that notices have been printed with reference to a union picnic of all the Sunday schools in Mason County, to be held at some point suitable for such a gathering. After due consideration, I have decided that this is not practicable. But I desire to request and urge upon the officers of each Magisterial district outside of the city of Maysville that they plan for a picnic to be held in their respective districts on the Fourth of July, which will include every Sunday school in the territory embraced in these Magisterial districts. I know of nothing that will give the Sunday school work such an uplift as a general movement of this kind. I recommend that each school prepare a banner and make the day one of pleasure, and one that will mark a progressive movement along Sunday school lines. Dinner can be supplied by each individual family, and certainly a day may be spent in this way that will be long remembered. For the two districts in which the city of Maysville is embraced, I desire to have the officers in these two districts plan for a joint picnic, which will embrace all the schools within their bounds. I invite correspondence with reference to this from all the officers of the Kentucky Sunday School Association, a list of which will be published in our local papers. Let us go at this work in a manner which will commend itself to the public, and let us enlist the interest of every one who has the good of the Sunday school cause at heart. Very truly yours,

JOHN DULEY,
 President Mason County Branch of the Kentucky Sunday School Association.

A district Sunday school convention will be held at Mill Creek Church Sunday, June 14th, at 3 p. m. There will be singers present from Maysville, and probably from Flemingsburg also.

Election of Officers.

The following officers were elected at the meeting of the Washington Fire Company last evening for the ensuing six months:

President—Thos. A. Davis.
 Vice President—Thos. M. Russell.
 Secretary—C. W. McClanahan.
 Messenger—James Clifford.
 Chairman Standing Committee—C. H. Frank.
 Chief of Hose—Thomas Lalley.
 Director of "W. S. Bridges"—C. W. McClanahan.
 Director of "Simon Kenton"—Robert Frost.
 Director Hook and Ladder Wagon—Joseph Lowery.

The Red Men will meet at their hall Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock to attend the funeral of James Lyston.

Mr. William Roads was no better last evening.

The protracted meeting at Washington closed last night, and Rev. Mr. La Bach returned to Crittenden this morning.

W. H. Durrett, formerly of this county, is engaged in merchandising at Crittenden, Grant County, having given up farming.

The Oddfellows instituted a lodge at Georgetown this week. Special Deputy J. Barbour Russell will shortly institute a lodge at Burtonville.

Harvey Meenach, son of Thomas Meenach of Manchester, died this week of appendicitis, brought on by an overdose of green apples and sauer kraut.

Judge Thos. F. Hargis, of Louisville, is in very feeble health and has been taken to Springfield, O., for treatment. His wife has little hope of his recovery.

Thomas S. Forman, formerly of this county, but living at Midway for many years, is now connected with a bank at that place, though still conducting his merchandise business.

The meeting of the C. W. B. M. this afternoon at 4 o'clock will be held at the Christian Church, instead of the home of Mrs. L. M. Mills. Mrs. Burdette will be present, and all members are expected.

Captain J. T. Dugan, who was recently injured on the O. and O. at this point, has been granted an increase of pension and will receive \$8 a month hereafter. The increase dates from 1902. Captain Hutchins was his attorney.

Jim Daugherty, an old-time steamboatman, who was sentenced to the Ohio penitentiary for life twenty-five years ago, for killing the father of Captain George Edgington, and was released by pardon, is at the home of his sister, Mrs. Bell Parker, at Manchester, dying of consumption. He has been in the marine hospital at Evansville the past eight months.

The venerable Dr. Wm. W. Senteney, who has been seriously ill at his home in Louisville the past month, is a native of Maysville. His parents moved to Clermont Co., O., however, when he was only six months old, and he grew up in that State and was educated at the Ohio Medical College. Most of his life has been spent in Louisville. He was a boyhood and life-long friend of Bishop Randolph Foster, of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Binder Twine

12 Cents Per Pound.

Having just secured an unexpected supply of Binder Twine at a bargain, we hasten to give the farmer the advantage of our good luck.

BEST TWINE 12 CENTS.

While the present stock lasts. This Twine is Sewall & Day's Crown Brand, and there is from 500 to 625 feet in every pound of it. This Twine is smooth and even, and is sold under a guarantee to please you.

TWINE FAMINE.

We predict that there will be a fearful shortage in twine this year—we believe that it will be impossible to buy twine at any price in harvest. You can congratulate yourself if you get your order in this lot at 12 cents. Your friends,

John I. Winter & Co.

MAYSVILLE, KY.

WANTED.

WANTED—Girls can secure steady work and good wages. Apply CAMBRIDGE TILE MFG. CO., 10th and Woodburn Ave., Covington, Ky.

WANTED—A woman to cook and do general housework. No washing and ironing. Apply at 110 West Front street.

Read this while we get ready to join in another beautiful song,

"The Good Old Summer Time"

FOR SALE.

The Dan Morgan farm—348 acres, Washington, Ky.

The Dr. Brough farm—154 acres, near Fern Leaf, Ky.

The Stroud farm—116 acres, near Minerva, Ky.

A farm of 101 acres near Tollesboro.

The house owned and occupied by Miss Lizzie Hiatt, Third street, Fifth ward.

The house formerly owned by J. D. Dye, but more recently owned by Wm. Chard, on West Second street.

A business house on Sutton street.

Two hundred acres of land on Laytham pike, about two miles from Mayslick.

The general store of G. M. Allen, Washington, Ky.

The Geo. H. Atkinson home, West Third street.

FOR RENT.

The elegant house opposite the First M. E. Church, South, recently occupied by Mrs. J. W. Elgin as a boarding house.

We will now sing "The Good Old Summer Time."

JOHN DULEY,

215 West Side Court St.,

'PHONE 333.

W. R. Smith & Co.

Are celebrating the opening of their new SHOE STORE to-day and solicit your attendance. Everybody made welcome, whether a purchase is intended or not. Lend us your presence on this occasion and we promise to interest you in our stock. Music and souvenirs.

W. R. Smith & Co.

New Clothing

Absolute satisfaction or your money back. Careful attention as to the fit of the Garments, by men who know, are some of the attractive forces that are increasing our business on a solid basis.

GEORGE H. FRANK & CO.

Administrator's Notice!

As administrator of estate of the late Mrs. Kate Martin, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate to please present same, properly proven, to me. Persons indebted to her will please pay as early as possible, in order that the estate may be settled up as early as possible.
 I. M. LANE,
 Administrator Mrs. Kate Martin, deceased.

CLUSTER.

This great saddle and harness stallion will be at Daulion's during the month of June, and will be permitted to serve mares at the very low price of \$15 to insure a mare in foal. You can make no mistake in breeding to this great stallion.
 D. K. WINTER.

Mrs. Martha Young, of Flemingsburg, is reported improving somewhat and will soon be able to walk on crutches.

At the Powersville Baptist Church a week ago \$1,027 was raised,—sufficient to pay off all the indebtedness.

THE BEE HIVE

IT'S A GOOD POLICY

For any merchant to sell his old goods at a reduced price. We believe that at half-price it would even make him smile. We don't know! We never keep old goods from season to season. BUT WE DO KNOW that we sell "WANTED" merchandise at less prices than any other store in Mason County. We are only two years old and the month of May shows the largest sales in the history of this house, larger we think than all the dry goods stores in Maysville together. What makes it so? THINK.

IT'S A BAD POLICY

For any person to buy goods at any price if they are old, out of style or not needed. Did we ever offer in a sale old goods at any price? Were not the bargains you bought here right in style? Did we ever misrepresent any article in our advertisement? Can't your child buy goods, and they do buy goods, as cheap as you could? ONE PRICE TO ALL AND MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES IS OUR MOTTO. Honest merchandise at honest prices makes us the fastest growing house in Kentucky. Doesn't it? THINK.

Special AT TEN O'CLOCK Monday

CLEAN UP OF ALL OUR MATTINGS.

Japanese Mattings, Linen Chain, worth 25c., 29c., 35c., 45c., Monday at 10 o'clock, 19c.; Chinese Mattings, 15c., 19c. and 25c., Monday at 10 o'clock, 12½c. Don't blame us if you are not here in time.

MERZ BROS

DON'T CHASE SHADOWS.

Not Necessary to Do So in Maysville.

The substance is what you want, Let the shadow alone. Strangers' testimony is a shadow. You want other endorsement to convince. Positive endorsement of friends and neighbors Removes the shadow of doubt.

Mr. Isaac Lane, contractor and builder, residing at 336 West Second street, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills do all that is claimed for them and do it promptly and thoroughly. I had not taken all of the box before I felt such great relief that a continuance of the treatment seemed unnecessary. I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at J. Jas. Wood & Son's drug store, corner of West Second and Market streets. If there should be any recurrence of the trouble I now have a knowledge of a reliable remedy to end the attack."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—DOAN'S—and take no substitute.

Wanted

A good groceryman to take charge of our branch grocery store, Maysville, Ky. Application will be considered confidential. Apply to T. J. Dineen, care Langdon-Creasy Co.

Cincinnati is substituting brick streets for asphalt and granite.

Hainline sells wall paper cheap.

Painless extraction of teeth at Dr. Carl-mell's.

Best binder twine 12 cents at Winter & Everett's.

Mr. John M. Shepard is able to be out after an illness of several days.

See Gerbrich's special prices on new pianos used at Hayswood commencement.

Danville Lodge of Oddfellows has received seventeen new members the last two weeks.

The Court of Appeals has reversed the case of Wood against Newell, Judge, from this county.

Mr. John Chandler, one of the oldest residents of the county, is quite feeble at his home near Washington.

The old stone church on Lawrence Creek has been cleaned, and Rev. C. K. Dickey will preach there Sunday morning, June 7th, at 11 o'clock, sun time.

The funeral of Mrs. Taylor Fristoe takes place this afternoon at 1:30 at Mitchell Chapel, instead of at the family residence. Services by Rev. R. E. Mose.

The American Christian Missionary Society and the Kentucky Christian Missionary Society will have twenty-six young preachers at work in the mountain counties of this State during the summer.

O. H. P. Thomas & Co., Nos. 120 and 122 Market street, Maysville, Ky., sell Old Time Bourbon and Maysville Club Rye, direct from the distillery, by the quart, gallon or barrel; the finest in the State; guaranteed pure and as represented as to age. THE H. E. POORE DISTILLERY CO.

In the Good Old Summer Time

Take life easy. Buy a celebrated Arwana

HAMMOCK

at Kackley & Co.'s. Look out for hot summer. Prices from 25c. to \$5 each. Yours truly,

J. T. Kackley & Co. THE RACKET

We have best qualities in great variety at especially low prices.

Men's light summer Underwear, 20, 25 and 50c. garments.
Ladies' Gange Vests, 5, 10, 15, 25c. each.
Men's Half Hose, 5, 10, 15, 25c. pair.
Ladies' Hose 10c. to 25c.
Table Oil Cloth, 19 and 30c. per yard.
Whitewash Brushes, 10, 15, 25 and 35c.
Carpet Tacks, 1c. box, 10c. dozen.
Ready-mixed Paint, any color, half-pint cans, 10c.
Paint Brushes, 10c.
Strainer Milk Pails, 25, 35 and 45c.
Sun Bonnets 22 and 25c.
Window Shades, 10, 22, 25 and 35c.
Curtain Poles, 10 to 15c.
Lamps, Glassware, Table Crockery, Dinner Sets, Granite and Tinware, Notions, etc.

L. H. Young & Co.

Although there have been refreshing showers here for a week or two, there has been no rainfall at Murphysville yet.

Judge Savage, of Ashland, was made Chairman of the Executive Committee of the State Commercial Convention. Mayor Ginn, of Ashland, represents the Ninth district on the committee.

William Hunter Boston, aged twenty-seven, son of N. D. Boston, formerly of this county, was found dead Friday morning at 6 o'clock in the front of the stable at his father's home on Georgetown pike, four and one-half miles from Lexington, with a bullet in his brain. It is thought he was shot by thieves.

Taylor at "Ingian" won't deny that he ran away from Kentucky, innocent or not innocent. Taylor at Washington hasn't anything, however, to run from and nothing much to run on; and it's well for you that the case stands thus, as he continues to sell twenty pounds granulated sugar for \$1 and eleven pounds Arbuckle or Lion coffee for \$1.

At the First Methodist Church, South, to-morrow (Sunday) will be "Children's Day." Rev. Dr. Evans, the pastor, will preach to the children at 10:30 a. m. on "A Gentleman's Watch." At 3 p. m., the exercises will be by the children. At both services a large audience of children is expected, tho' every one is invited, and the services will be entertaining to all classes and ages. Epworth League devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m. Seats are all free.

MORRIS CHAIRS.

The biggest bargain offered this season, ninety cents.

Get one of these most useful Chairs that are worth \$2, if worth a cent. Only two dozen more left.

LAMPS.

New and beautiful designs bought at a bargain. They go at 75c. You can't buy one like them for less than \$1.25.

Enameled Kitchen Ware.

Porcelain lined and perfect in every particular. In blue, green, brown and granite colors. We will sell you this ware at a big saving, in order to introduce it to your homes.

LANGDON'S Big Store. Anything you want at a great deal lower price than any house in Kentucky.

The Langdon-Creasy Co. Inc.

MAYSVILLE, KY.

PHONE 221.

"Our Customers!"

Nearly all of them have purchased from us season after season since we first began selling Rochester-made Clothing. There is a peculiar satisfaction in wearing a "Stein Bloch" or an "Adler" Suit of Clothes that is foreign to any other make of Clothing. If you are skeptical about this statement ask those that wear them.

Our Garson Meyer Young Men's Clothing is the Magnet That Draws the Youngsters.

The excellence and high standard of our Clothing is fully shared by our Men's and Boys' Shoes. We sell more fine Shoes than ever were sold by any one house in Maysville. Why? "WE HAVE THEM" and people want the best.

If you want one of our Panama Hats don't delay. They are rapidly going out and hard to duplicate.

Our crash and Homespun Coat and Pants Stock is daily augmented with new styles of fabrics. We "believe" no other house in town shows so beautiful lines of Outing Suits as we do.

D. HECHINGER & CO.,

THE HOME STORE.

WELLS & COUGHLIN,

Undertakers and Embalmers!

Calls answered day or night.

MARKET STREET,

MAYSVILLE, KY.

RANGES STOVES

and.....

SPECIAL PRICES AT

W. F. POWER'S.

The Ideal Summer Shoe For Men

Oxfords are all the go this season. More men are wearing them now than ever before. They are stylish, nobby and certainly more comfortable than the high shoe. It is a good idea, however, to have a pair of each kind and be "fixed" for every condition of the weather and temperature. Smart people prefer the smart Walk-Over Oxford. Isn't it about time you had a pair?



BARKLEY'S

The New York Store!

of HAYS & CO.

Three Remarkable Attractions Are Offered For Friday.

Twenty-five pieces best Hope Lonsdale Bleached Muslin 7 cents, none to merchants.


One hundred pairs men's Blue Cotton Pants, 25c. a pair.

One hundred pairs ladies' very fine Strap Sandals, fine vici or pat. leather, regular price, anywhere, \$1.49; for Friday, 98c.

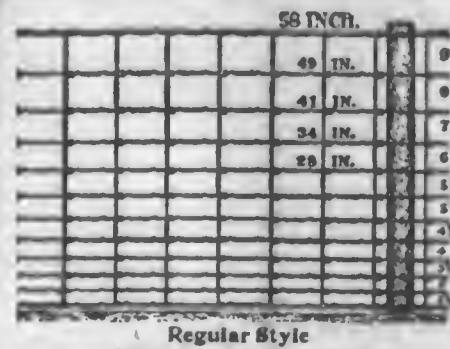
HAYS & CO New York Store

P. S.—Our Millinery Department is on a boom, come and get a Hat; Untrimmed Hats, 24c. on up.

This is the Fence They All Want!

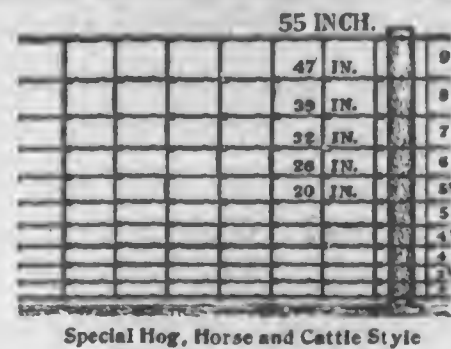


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58 INCH.
49 IN.
41 IN.
34 IN.
26 IN.


Regular Style
Stays 12 in. or 6 in. apart



55 INCH.
47 IN.
39 IN.
32 IN.
26 IN.
20 IN.

Special Hog, Horse and Cattle Style
Stays 12 in. or 6 in. apart

**THE
AMERICAN**



The great demand for this popular field fence has compelled us to increase the size of each succeeding order. The lot just in is going fast and what remains will probably be bought up in a short time,—certainly before another shipment is received. Book your orders quickly before it is all gone.

Frank Owens Hardware Co.

Wall Paper

Good decoration need not mean the costly, or the elaborate, but it must always mean the appropriate and the timely.

Wall Paper

is the clothing of the house, and styles in wall paper change as frequently as styles in clothing. It is equally true that a house decorated in colors or designs that are out of date is as incongruous as a woman of to-day in the garb of year before last. Call and examine our "Wall Paper."

John C. Pecor.

Sweet Potato Plants

Strasburg, Brazilian, Red Bermuda, Red and Yellow Jersey, Vineless, 15 cents a hundred. Late Cabbage Plants 10 cents. Have arranged with the four rural carriers to handle our plants and they will deliver them at above prices.
W. E. FYLES, Maysville, R. R. No. 2.

The father of Rev. J. L. Clark, of Paris, was accidentally killed this week at Marion, O.

Miss Natalie Cooper is improving after an illness of a week or so.

HERE AND THERE.

Items of Interest From Nearby Towns and Villages Contributed by the Bulletin's Corps of Correspondents.

RECTORVILLE, June 5th.—Mrs. R. T. Bradley, of Vanceburg, is visiting her parents at Bridgeport this week.

G. F. Pollitt's daughter Edith and son Douglas, of Middlesborough, came up Saturday to spend the summer with relatives and friends.

R. T. Bradley left for Vanceburg Monday where he will take up his duties after a short rest with relatives and friends.

Robert Wells was at Rector Friday.

Thomas Emhry has had something rather unusual on his farm this spring—six solid red bull calves and five are living and doing well.

Wm. Luttrell was out on our turnpikes last week, taking up the repairs to settle with the employees the 10th of this month.

A. D. Dickson was over at Bridgeport Friday on business.

Mrs. Amanda Hoffman went to Mt. Carmel last Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. Bertha Kenner, returning Sunday.

Scott Fletcher and Tom Cooper received a nice bunch of hogs last week at Bridgeport at \$4.85. Farmers are all getting their tobacco transplanted this week.

Mrs. Emma McCaun and little daughter Naomi were shopping in Maysville Thursday.

W. W. Ball passed through our village last week en route to Tollesboro on business.

Oliver Trumbo, an old citizen of Rectorville, was buried at Bethany last Monday.

PUNNVILLE, June 8th.—Harry Welsh, of Cincinnati, spent several days with home folks last week. He returned to the city Sunday, his mother accompanying him.

Ell Frame visited his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Morris, last week at Cincinnati.

Miss Alice Day is visiting home folks.

Miss Lucy Willett, of Maysville, was a guest of the family of Samuel Sweet the past few days.

Miss Annie Laurie Northcott is visiting friends in the county.

Mrs. Clarence Applegate is reported seriously ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. McClure.

A. L. Redman left Thursday to be a guest of his daughter at Rectorville for a few days.

Notice to the Officers and Directors of the Maysville and Mt. Olivet Traction Co.

A meeting will be held in the company's office, 215 west side Court street, Wednesday afternoon, June 10th, at 1 o'clock for considering matters of importance. A full meeting is desired.

JOHN DULEY, President,
Maysville and Mt. Olivet Traction Co.

Armour's canned meats—Calboun's.

Read This!

You can get Peacock, Williams and Plymouth-Raymond Coal of the MAYSVILLE COAL CO. at the right price. Remember the Place. Phone 142.

Also
Brick, Lime, Sand
and Salt.

Agents for the famous Alabaster Plaster.
Yours.

Maysville Coal Co.,
COOPER'S OLD STAND.

LA MODE

Millinery

Ladies, see our mid-summer dressy Hats and don't think because our goods are handsome you cannot buy, but come in and convince yourself that you can buy the newest styles and the best material for the least money at

**La Mode
Millinery Company,**

Second street, two doors W. of Market.

LOST.

LOST—Somewhere outside the city limits, hine flannel sack coat. Please leave at BULLETIN office. 4-3rd.

LOST—Two weeks ago in this city, a hand-painted belt pin. The pin was broken. Finder will please return it to this office. Reward. 4 d8t

LOST—Saturday, a package of tin, on Fleming pike between Maysville and Flemingsburg. The finder will please send information of same to the BULLETIN or to John Ryan, Flemingsburg.

LOST—On June 2nd, two breastpins in one package, of value only to the owner. Please return to No. 11, Hill House, and receive reward.

LOST—Watch guard, with medal attached by black ribbon. Please leave at this office.

ALL KINDS OF

FIRE



With a good Gas Range you can cook your soup over a slow fire, which it needs, and your roast over a quick fire, and both at the same time. How can you do this any other way than with a GAS RANGE?

Gas Ranges At Factory Cost Price!

Never was such another opportunity afforded you to obtain so much value for the same money. During the month of June the Gas Company will, if so desired, make a written agreement with any purchaser of a Gas Range to the effect, that, if on the first day of August, said purchaser shall have become dissatisfied with the use of their Range, either for the reason that it will not do the work as represented, or that it costs too much to operate, then the Gas Company will take back the stove and refund any money paid upon its purchase price. The only thing to prevent you taking advantage of this offer is that the Ranges are sold quicker than they can be connected up, so if you are thinking of buying one, now is the time to decide. Over twenty installed during May and not a single complaint. For further particulars see the Gas Company and sample Ranges at Langfels & Co.'s.

ARE YOU ...READY

To plant your Pepper, Cabbage and Sweet Potato Plants? Try the early Strasburg; as early as the Bermuda, grows as large and better in quality.

Dieterich Bros.
MARKET ST.

FOUNTAIN Cash Store!

A Full Line of Groceries

At the lowest prices. A complete line of racket goods such as Tin and Enamel Ware, Glass and China Ware. Hosiery and Socks, Suspenders, etc., etc. Complete line of Fishing Tackle. Full line of Musical Instruments and Trimmings. Headquarters for Base Ball Goods.

J. W. O'Donnell,

238 Market Street, Phone 306.

BIRTHDAY PARTY!

We will be two years old next Monday. Come in and see the Shoes we sell. \$1.98 buys choice of ladies' fine Shoes in ideal kid, vici kid and pat. leather. The maker asked us not to advertise the names. You have heard of them. Come and see them. Every pair warranted to wear well. You must come to DAN COHEN'S for such bargains. You can't find them any place else.

W. H. MEANS, Manager.

A Time For Everything Under the Sun!

Now is the time to Paper and Paint. Be wise and act in the living present, for you'll be a long time dead. One hundred discs for talking machines. Come in and buy. Yours,

W. H. RYDER,
SUTTON STREET.

Are the Contents of Your Home INSURED?

If not, take a policy with W. HOLTON KEY, Court street, successor to W. W. Baldwin & Co.

DR. LANDMAN
Central Hotel,
June 4th, 1903.

REMOVED,
R. C. POLLITT,
Dentist.

All Work Guaranteed. No 30% West Second street, Maysville, Ky.

STRAYED.

TAKEN UP AS A STRAY—About a month ago, a light red heifer calf. Information can be had by applying to CYRUS CASE, near Bernard.